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On Mar 20, 2019, at 2:41 PM, Fitzpatrick, Kacey < Fitzpatrick. Kacey@epa.gov> wrote:

Hi Jennifer,

We received another question from Chemical Watch on the release today that mentioned formaldehyde. Tina wrote a response for us to send.

Here is the question:

One of the chemicals identified for high-priority evaluation is formaldehyde, a chemical that has been studied by EPA's Integrated Risk Information System (IRIS) program for many years.

"Moving forward evaluating formaldehyde under the TSCA program does not mean that the formaldehyde work done under IRIS will be lost," **added Dunn**. "In fact, the work done for IRIS will inform the TSCA process. By using our TSCA authority EPA will be able to take regulatory steps; IRIS does not have this authority," **she noted.**

Can you confirm whether the EPA intends to complete and publish a final IRIS evaluation of formaldehyde?

Here is our response:

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Thanks, Kacey